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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY
DOCKET NO.

In the Matter of the License of)
Certain Dental Hygienists to)
Practice Dental Hygiene in the)
State of New Jersey)

Administrative Action
ORDER

This matter came before the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry on October 5, 1988, upon an Order to Show Cause why civil penalties should not be imposed for failure to satisfy continuing education requirements for dental hygienists. Prior investigation disclosed that certain hygienists had failed to submit proof to the Board that they had attended or participated in at least ten hours of continuing education in dental hygiene during the two year statutory registration period that concluded on December 31, 1987. The failure to submit proof of completion of the required hours of continuing education in dental hygiene may constitute violations of N.J.S.A. 45:6-56, N.J.A.C. 13:30-2.16 and N.J.A.C. 13:30-2.17.

A hearing was held on October 5, 1988, at which time the Board considered all written statements or explanations which had been submitted by certain dental hygienists. No hygienists personally appeared at the hearing.

The respondents named herein failed to respond to the Order to Show Cause. The Order advised the respondents that

failure to appear or to respond would result in a civil penalty of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars being imposed.

The Board having considered the records of the within named respondents, and finding that each respondent failed to submit proof to the Board that he or she had attended or participated in ten hours of continuing education during the two year statutory registration period that concluded on December 31, 1987, and the Board finding that each of the within named respondents received notice of the Order to Show Cause by certified mail with receipt returned, and for good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS *20th* DAY OF *Oct*, 1988,

ORDERED:

1. The following named individual respondents are hereby assessed a civil penalty of Three Hundred (\$300.00) Dollars. Each respondent shall forward to the office of the State Board of Dentistry, 1100 Raymond Boulevard, Room 321, Newark, New Jersey 07102, a certified check or money order in the aforesaid amount within 45 days of the entry date of this Order:

1. Meryl L. Alouis
2. Joan L. Amsler
3. Laura A. Bridges
4. Barbara Goldman
5. Louise A. Lloyd

2. Each of the above named respondents shall submit to the State Board of Dentistry proof of completion of ten

hours of continuing education in dental hygiene within 45 days of the entry date of this Order. The failure to submit proof of completion of the required hours of continuing education and/or the failure to submit the \$300.00 penalty within 45 days of the entry date of this Order may subject each respondent to additional penalties which may include the suspension or revocation of licensure to practice dental hygiene in the State of New Jersey.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Arnold Graham", is written over a horizontal line.

ARNOLD GRAHAM, D.D.S.
PRESIDENT
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY